

KJELL-ERIK KRISTIANSEN

Born: 15th April 1960

Nationality: Norwegian

Family: Single, 3 daughters (2 in Sweden, 1 in Finland)

Languages: Fluent: Norwegian, Swedish, English, German, Danish
Some knowledge: Spanish, Finnish
Understanding some: Italian, Dutch

Profession: Editor/photographer

Sports commentator - international announcer and TV-commentator

(Two times voted the world's no 1 sports announcer)

Olympics: Venue announcer:

1994	Lillehammer (NOR)	Cross country, nordic combined, press conferences
2002	Salt Lake City (USA)	Biathlon, cross country, nordic combined
2006	Turin (ITA)	Cross country, skijumping, nordic combined
2010	Vancouver (CAN)	Biathlon
2018	Pyeongchang (KOR)	Biathlon

TV-commentator:

1998	Nagano (JPN)	TV2 Norway
2000	Sydney (AUS)	Eurosport
2004	Athens (GRE)	Eurosport

World Championships biathlon:

2000	Oslo/Holmenkollen (NOR)	Venue announcer
2002	Oslo/Holmenkollen (NOR)	Venue announcer
2007	Antholz-Anterselva (ITA)	Venue announcer
2008	Östersund (SWE)	Venue announcer
2011	Khanty-Mansiysk (RUS)	Venue announcer
2015	Kontiolahti (FIN)	Venue announcer
2016	Oslo/Holmenkollen (NOR)	Venue announcer
2019	Östersund (SWE)	Venue announcer

World Championships cross country skiing:

1993	Falun (SWE)	Venue announcer
1997	Trondheim (NOR)	Venue announcer
1999	Ramsau am Dachstein (AUT)	Venue announcer
2001	Lahti (FIN)	Venue announcer
2003	Val di Fiemme (ITA)	Venue announcer
2005	Oberstdorf (GER)	Venue announcer
2007	Sapporo (JPN)	Venue announcer
2009	Liberec (CZE)	Venue announcer
2011	Oslo/Holmenkollen (NOR)	Venue announcer
2013	Val di Fiemme (ITA)	Venue announcer
2015	Falun (SWE)	Venue announcer
2019	Seefeld (AUT)	Venue announcer

World Championships handball:

1993	Oslo (NOR)	Venue announcer
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World Championships skiflying:

2000	Vikersund (NOR)	Venue announcer
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World Championships orienteering:

2003	Rapperswil/Jona (SUI)	Venue announcer
2004	Västerås (SWE)	Venue announcer
2010	Trondheim (NOR)	Venue announcer
2019	Østfold (NOR)	Venue announcer

World Championships telemark skiing:

2019	Rjukan (NOR)	Venue announcer
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World Championships cycling:

2005	Lillehammer (NOR)	Mountainbike marathon
2017	Bergen (NOR)	Road

World Logging Championships:

2018	Lillehammer (NOR)	Venue announcer
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Junior World Championships nordic skiing:

2004	Stryn (NOR)	Venue announcer
2011	Otepää (EST)	Venue announcer

Junior World Championships biathlon:

2010	Torsby (SWE)	Venue announcer
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Masters/Veteran World Championships:

1986	Mysen (NOR)	Orienteering
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CISM/Military World Championships:

2005	Lappeenranta (FIN)	Orienteering
2008	Upinniemi (FIN)	Naval pentathlon

European Championships:

2008	Sarpsborg (NOR)	Armwrestling
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World Cup venues:

Austria: Ramsau am Dachstein (skiing), Seefeld (skiing)

Canada: Vernon BC (skiing), Canmore AB (skiing), Vancouver/Whistler BC (skiing, biathlon)

China: Changchung (skiing)

Czech Rep: Nove Mesto na Morave (skiing), Liberec (skiing)

Estonia: Otepää (skiing)

Finland: Lahti (skiing, biathlon), Kontiolahti (biathlon)

Germany: Düsseldorf (skiing), Oberstdorf (skiing), Oberhof (skiing), Garmisch-Partenkirchen (skiing), Dresden (skiing)

Japan: Sapporo (skiing)

Norway: Voss (orienteering), Lillehammer (skiing, cycling, skiorienteering), Holmenkollen/Oslo (skiing, orienteering, biathlon), Kristiansand (orienteering, mountainbike), Trondheim (skiing), Beitostølen (skiing), Drammen (skiing), Konnerud (skiing), Aremark (orienteering), Våler i Østfold (orienteering)

Sweden: Falun (skiing), Mölndal (orienteering), Gothenburg (orienteering), Åre (alpine skiing), Stockholm (skiing), Borlänge (skiing), Kiruna (skiing), Östersund (biathlon), Gällivare (skiing), Ulricehamn (skiing)

Switzerland: Davos (skiing), Linz (skiing), Val Müstair (skiing), Lenzerheide (skiing)

Poland: Szklarska Poreba (skiing)

USA: Salt Lake City/Soldier Hollow (skiing, biathlon)

Other events:

China: Vasaloppet China (skiing), Volvo Ski Sprint Beijing and Changchun (skiing), Tour de Ski China (skiing), Beijing Minithlon (triathlon)

Finland: Jukolan Viesti (orienteering), Venlan Viesti (orienteering),

Liechtenstein: Night sprint Liechtenstein (skiing)

Norway: National championships (skiing, orienteering, cycling, hill-running, triathlon, summer biathlon, handball, football), Nordic championships military sports, Norwegian cup (skiing, orienteering), Tour of Norway (cycling), Tour des Fjords (cycling), Ladies Tour of Norway/WWT (cycling), Birkebeinerrittet MTB (cycling), O-festivalen (orienteering), Toppidrettsveka (skiing), Flyktingerennet (skiing), Nordsjørittet (mountainbike), Grenserittet (mountainbike), Skarverennet (skiing), Landskytterstevnet (shooting), Sandefjord Grand Prix (cycling), TriQuart Kristiansand (triathlon), Tour de Trøndelag (rollerskiing/running), Oslo Grand Prix (trotting), Norsk travderby (trotting), Norsk Oaks (trotting), Tufte Farmer Challenge (strongman), Kirkebakken Grand Prix Hamar (roller-ski), BDO-mila (running), Rogaland Grand Prix (cycling), TS Arendal Grand Prix (cycling), X-elements Bislett Oslo (motorcycle), EuroArm Sarpsborg (armwrestling), Northug vs Legkov Oslo (rollerski), Petter Northugs homecoming Olympics 2010 (Olympics), BDO-Northug children's race (skiing), Hilleknuten 1209 Sirdal (hill-running), Oslo Bratteste (hill-running), Oslo Ski Show (rollerski), Sandefjordrittet (mountainbike), Fredags-Birken Lillehammer (mountainbike), Røldal NedOpp (skiing), RedBull Nordix Holmenkollen (skiing), RedBull Janteloppet Hafjell (skiing), Blodslitet Fredrikstad (orienteering), Landeveis-Birken Lillehammer (cycling), Sørlandsparken GP Kristiansand (cycling), Kristiansand Ski Festival (rollerski), SprintSki Bislett Oslo (skiing), Tjoamine Røldal (skiing), Rudskogen Motorfestival (motorsports), Sir Alex Ferguson in Oslo (football), Season Opener Sjusjøen (biathlon), Kulåssprinten Sarpsborg (skiing), Granfondo Don Pedro (cycling), Unionskampen Momarken (trotting), Nuten Opp Rosendahl (hill-running), Jentebølgen (running), Smaaleneneløpet (orienteering)

Russia: Sprint-Tour Ekaterinburg/Siberia (skiing)

Sweden: National championships (skiing), O-ringen femdagars (orienteering), Tiomila (orienteering), Swedish cup (skiing, orienteering), Finnmarksturen (mountainbike), Dala-Touren (orienteering), 25-mannakavlen (orienteering), Inge Bråten Memorial Sunne (rollerski), Dansbandssprinten Malung (skiing), Bruksvallsloppet (skiing), VW Tour Gällivare (skiing), VW SuperSprint Östersund (skiing), Scandinavian Cup (skiing), RedBull Nordenskiöldsloppet Jokkmokk (skiing), Volkswagen Cup (skiing), Scandic Cup (skiing), Klarälvsløppet Karlstad (rollerskis/cycling), Åk en mil vinn en bil Storhogna (skiing)

Park World Tour orienteering:

Laxå (SWE), Eskilstuna (SWE), Flisa (NOR), Skövde (SWE), Västerås (SWE), Assisi (ITA), Schladming (AUT), Olomouc (CZE), Gothenburg (SWE), Farum (DEN), Stockholm (SWE), Turku

(FIN), Glasgow (GBR), Oslo (NOR), Tokyo (JPN), Hangzhou (CHN), Shanghai (CHN), Kumla (SWE), Maribor (SLO), Leibnitz (AUT), Fredrikstad (NOR), Bangkok (THA), Kunming (CHN), Chrudim (CZE), Pardubice (CZE), Nove Mesto na Morave (CZE), Nanjing (CHN), Seoul (KOR), Kromeriz (CZE), Cechy p.Kosirem (CZE), Prostejov (CZE), Karlsborg (SWE), Mulhouse (FRA), Alberobello (ITA), Matera (ITA), Växjö (SWE), Jönköping (SWE), Suzhou (CHN)

Ski Classics marathon cup:

Toblach-Cortina (ITA), Reistadløpet (NOR), Ylläs-Levi (FIN), Kaiser Maximilian Lauf (AUT), Prologue Livigno (ITA), Vasaloppet (SWE), La Diagonela (SUI), Årefjällsloppet (SWE)

Announcer in these countries:

Austria
Canada
China
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Great Britain
Italy
Japan
Korea
Liechtenstein
Norway
Poland
Russia
Sweden
Switzerland
Thailand
USA

Also announcer for close to 1.000 World Cup events in different sports.

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